

# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(for new applications under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b))

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To: Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

1. ☒ Fee Calculation (Box 13) and Authorization (Triplicate copies of this form are enclosed)
2. ☒ Specification and Claims (31) Total Pages
3. ☒ Formal Drawings (4) Total Sheets
4. ☒ Executed Declaration
5. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
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  - b. ☐ Paper copy (identical to computer copy)
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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

6. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
7. ☐ Copies of IDS citations
8. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
9. ☒ Two (2) Return Receipt Postcards
10. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document
11. ☒ The benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119 is claimed of the filing of United Kingdom Application No. 0223339.3 filed October 8, 2002.
12. ☐ Other:
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- ☒ 37 C.F.R. § 1.16;
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  - ☒ 37 C.F.R. § 1.18.
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